

HABS No. 0-251

Old Baptist Church
Streetsboro
Portage County
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Owner (or Custodian) Church

Date of Erection Built about 1851

Architect

Builder

Present Condition In good condition

Number of Stories One story

Materials of Construction Built of wood siding
with hand-hewed framing
timbers cut locally and
with foundation stone
quarried at Twinsburgh.

Other Existing Records: Two drawings
One photograph
One page of history

Additional Data:

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The church, originally Baptist, now Methodist, was built in 1851 of wood siding with hand-hewed framing timbers cut locally and with foundation stone quarried at Twinsburgh. It was hauled by ox teams to the site which is at the center of town on State Route #14 near State Route #43.

The bell, cast by E. Force, New York in 1835, originally hung in the Twinsburgh Academy from whence it was brought to the present Edifice.

The town which was one of the last in Portage County to be settled, was named for the owner of the Township, Mr. Street.

One of the original members of the Connecticut Land Company and one of the first settlers was Stephen Meyers Jr., who established himself here in 1822.

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